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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

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IN RE APPLICATION OF: Harald S. Gross

SERIAL NO.: 09/739,078

FILED: December 13, 2000

FOR: ANODIC BONDING OF A STACK OF  
CONDUCTIVE AND GLASS LAYERS

§ GROUP ART UNIT: 1733

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§ EXAMINER: J. T. Haran

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**AMENDMENT "A" UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111**

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Hon. Commissioner for Patents  
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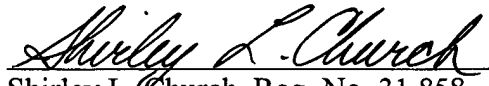
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Claims 1 - 39 are pending in the application.

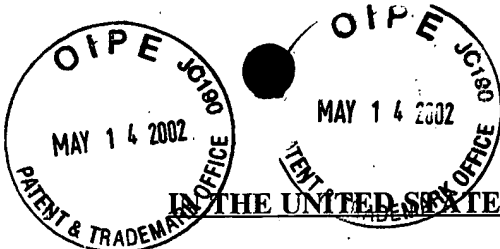
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**AMENDMENT "A" UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111  
AND FORMAL DRAWINGS  
TRANSMITTAL LETTER**

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Transmitted herewith is applicants' Amendment "A" in response to the Office Action mailed December 14, 2001, having a shortened statutory period for response of March 14, 2002. A Petition for a Two Month Extension of Time to respond accompanies this Amendment "A" for the purpose of extending the time to respond through May 14, 2002.

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## CLAIMS AS AMENDED

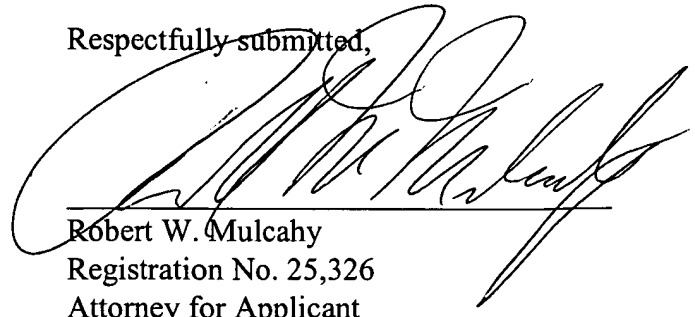
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER <u>AMENDMENT</u>		HIGHEST NO. PREVIOUSLY <u>PAID FOR</u>		PRESENT <u>EXTRA</u>		<u>RATE</u>	ADDITIONAL <u>FEE</u>
TOTAL CLAIMS	47	minus	54	=	0	x	\$18.00	\$00.00
INDEPENDENT CLAIMS	3	minus	4	=	0	x	\$84.00	\$00.00
MULTIPLE DEPENDENT CLAIMS			0				\$280.00	\$00.00
TWO MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME								\$400.00
							TOTAL FEE DUE	\$400.00

Also transmitted herewith are four (4) sheets of formal drawings to replace the originally filed informal drawings. Applicants do not believe that any fee is due in connection with the replacement of informal drawings with formal drawings.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the amount of \$ 400.00, in payment of the fee for the Two Month Extension of Time, as well as any additional fees which may be due, and to credit any overpayment to Deposit Account 50-1074 of Applied Materials, Inc., Santa Clara, California.

This transmittal letter is submitted in duplicate for accounting purposes.

Respectfully submitted,

A large, stylized handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. W. Mulcahy', is written over a horizontal line.

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